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Invent application of:  
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For: METHODS, APPARATUS AND  
PROGRAMS FOR GENERATING AND  
UTILIZING CONTENT SIGNATURES

Examiner: A. Johns

Date: September 3, 2004

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Total Claims	57	47	= 10	\$18.00	\$180.00
Indep. Claims	17	14	= 3	\$86.00	\$258.00
TOTAL ADDITIONAL FEE FOR THIS AMENDMENT					\$438.00



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Please charge **\$438.00** (fee for additional claims) and any additional fees which may be required in connection with filing this Preliminary Amendment and IDS and any extension of time, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 50-1071.

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Respectfully submitted,

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